(c) by when these proposals are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF POWER IN THE MINISTRY OF ENERGY (SHRIMATI SUSHILA ROHATGI): (a) to (c) Details of the Power Projects of Maharashtra State Electricity Board awaiting investment approval of the Government of India are as under:—

Project	Installed Capacity	Estimated Cost (Rs. Crores)	Date of receipt in C.E.A.
Uran Waste Heat-I(T)	1×120 =120	62.56	4/85
Uran Waste Heat-II&III	2×210 =240	122 4	4/85

Approval of projects is contingent on a number of factors including availability of adequate resources, and tieing up other necessary inputs. It is not practicable to indicate a specific time-frame for the approval of the projects.

Amount due to coal companies

587. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news item which appared in the 'Business India' issue of 12—25 January, 1987 to the effect that State Electricity Board have not cleared several of their coal bills;

(b) if so, what are the State-wise outstanding bills as on 31st January, 1987 and what is the date of the oldest bill for each State; and

(c) what is the loss incurred including interest by Coal India in these supplies and by when State Electricity Boards will clear their dues?

THE MINISTER OF ENERGY (SHRI VASANT SATHE): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Statewise outstanding bills have been centrally compiled by CIL upto 1-1-1987 and the details are as under:

(Rs. in crores)

State Consumers	Total outstandings as on 1-1-1987		
	Full Bills (Undisputed amounts)	Deductions	Total
1	2	3	4
1. Bihar BSEB	29·68	00 98	40·66
2. Uttar Pradesh UPSEB	56·74	18·00	74·74
3. Orissa OSEB	16·52	3·46	19·98
4. Punjab PSEB	17·67	36·74	54·41
5. Tamil Nadu TNEB	2·49	1·34	3·83
6. Haryana HSEB	44·59	11·75	56·34
7. Rajasthan RSEB	1·04	0·09	1·13
8. Maharashtra MSEB	47·14	35·86	83·00

1	2	3	4
9. Madhya Pradesh MPEB	10·64	28.45	39·09
10. Gujarat AEC& GEB	4·24	2·59	6·83
	24·13	5·78	29.91
11. Andhra Pradesh APEB	0·12	..	0·12
12. West Bengal WBSEB	17·50	..	17·50
DPL	18·92	4·71	23·63
13. D lhi DESU	15·34	10·63	25·97
CENTRAL			
Damodar Valley Corporation	2·88	53.17	56·05
Badarpur Thermal Power Station	8·00	68·53	76·62
National Thermal Power Corpn.	5·90	31·13	37·03
PRIVATE			
Calcutta Electric Supply Co. Ltd.	0·59	0.13	0.72
OTHERS	0·74	0·07	0·81
Total:	324·96	323·41	648·37

The details of company-wise longest period of pending bills are as under:—

Name of Company	State	Consumer	Date of longest pending bills
WCL	Maharashtra	MSEB	30-4-1 980
	Madhya Pradesh	MPEB	28-2-1981
	Gujarat	GEB	30-4-1980
	Tamil Nadu	TNEB	31-12-1982
	Andhra Pradesh	APEB	31-10-1984
SECL	Gujarat	GSEB	1986-87
	Madhya Pradesh	MPEB	1985-86
	Maharashtra	MSEB	1984-85
	Tamil Nadu	TNEB	1986-87
	Orissa	OSEB	1982-83

Name of company	State	Consumer pending bills	Date of
BCCL	Central	CTPS	25-2-1983
		DTPS DVC	31-3-1974
		BTPS	24-7-1985
	Delhi Administration	DESU	30-4-1979
	West Bengal	WBSEB	31-3-1985
	Uttar Pradesh	UPSEB	24-7-1985
	Punjab	GNDTP	12-8-1983
	Haryana	PTPP	5-10-1983
CCL	Uttar Ptadesh	UPSEB	15-9-1968
	Bihar	BSEB	31-3-1985
	Delhi	DESU	15-6-1979
		BTPS	4-12-1980
	Central	DVC	29-10-1986
	Punjab	PSEB	13-10-1981
	Haryana	HSEB	24-4-1980
	West Bengal	WBSEB	31-10-1983
	Gujarat	GSEB	31-8-1985
ECL	West Bengal	WBSEB Bandel TPS	6-6-1985
		Santhaldih	23-4-1986
		DPL	10-4-1984
		Durgapur Coke Oven	30-4-1984
	Central	DVC	3-12-1984
	Bihar	BSEB	
		Patna Elec. Co.	24-8-1986
		Baruni TPS	18-2-1985
		Muzaffarpur TPS	14-4-1986
	Uttar Pradesh	UPSEB (Balarampur)	19-8-1986
		Kesa (Kanpur)	12-9-1986
		Paricha TPS	28-7-1986
		Varanasi Elec. Supply	23-4-1986

Name of Company	State	Consumer	Date of largest pending bills
	Haryana	HSEB	10-4-1984
		Haryana TPS	9-4-1984
	Punjab	PSEB	25-1-1986
		Ropar	9-9-1986
NCL	Uttar Pradesh	UPSEB	
		Obra TPS	8-1-1969
		Harduaganj TPS	2-2-1974
		Panki TPS	24-2-1977
	Delhi	DESU	1-3-1985
	Punjab	PSEB Ropar TPS	1-11-1985
		Bhatinda TPS	9-3-1977
	Rajasthan	Kota TPS	19-11-1982
		NTPC (Singrauli TPS)	1-12-1985
		Badarpur TPS	8-1-1981
		Nasik TPS	12-9-1986
	Gujarat	GSEB	24-11-1981
	Haryana	HSEB	21-6-1983

(c) The heavy outstanding dues from the Electricity Boards are affecting the ways and means position of Coal India Limited. Yearly interest at the bank rate on the outstanding dues from various State Electricity Boards as on 31.12.1986 after adjusting the acceptable deductions and the dues for credit for 7 days comes to Rs. 91.0 crores.

In the meeting held in the Department of Coal on 22.12.1986, the problems of coal supplies to power stations|electricity Boards including outstanding dues were discussed and the State Electricity Boards, and other Utilities were asked to clear all undisputed bills within 2 months from 22.12.1986 with interest. They were also advised that the disputes should be settled through arbitration.

Energy Conservation Programme

588. SHRI RAOOF VALIULLAH: Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) the details regarding the fiscal incentives and subsidies available in the country for the purpose of energy conservation given by Central and State Governments;

(b) whether Government have delicenced from the scope of the IDRA, 1951 of manufacture of certain equipment with a view to encourage the exploitation of alternate sources of energy; if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what other policy decisions have been taken?